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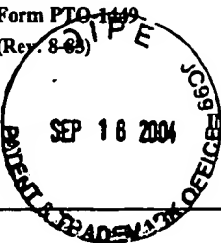
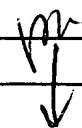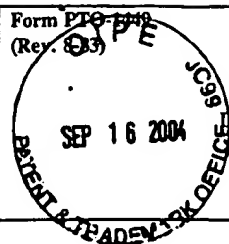| Form PTO-1449 (Rev. 8/83)	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	ATTY. DOCKET NO: 102689-43	APPLICATION NO: RECEIVED
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